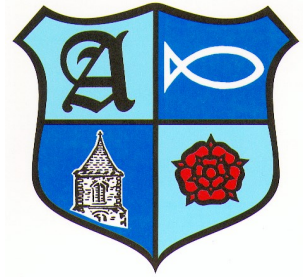




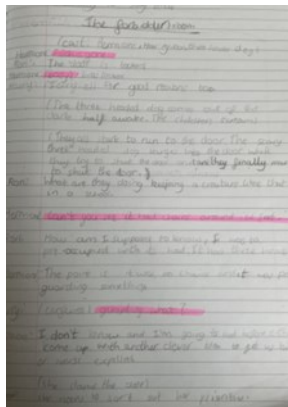
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Spotlight on Year 4

In DT we have created Harry Potter Castles. We created prototypes and evaluated them before making our final pieces and decorating them. We used our knowledge of Electricity from Science to put a circuit inside to light the castle up.



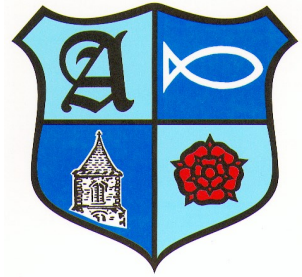
We have read most of the first Harry Potter book, focusing on different chapters to write a narrative and then a play script. We enjoyed doing this and wrote some fabulous play scripts. We have also enjoyed watching the film in class.



In Art we learned all about Cas Holmes and how she creates collages using items that mean a lot to her and materials that she had found around her home. We had a go at creating our own collages and produced fantastic end pieces.



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Message from Headteacher

Dear parents and grandparents,

My final Headteacher message begins with a massive, heartfelt thank you for all the kind words and gifts that the whole school community has sent to me. I feel a great sense of pride that I leave the school in a position where our excellent teachers, school leaders, Governors and parents will continue to work as one to provide the best possible Catholic Education for our children. I take with me very happy memories from my time at St Anne's.

Thank you for your support and friendship.

Special News – Miss Reardon informed school that her beautiful little baby girl arrived safely yesterday morning. I know all the children and parents send their best wishes to Miss Reardon and her family.

Wishing all our families a wonderful summer holiday,

Mr P Bates

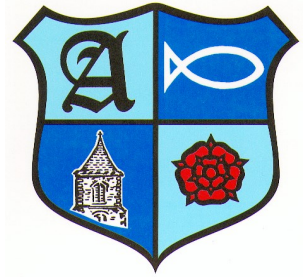
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St Anne's Church Bulletin

The Bulletin is available on the Church website: stannes-ormskirk.org.uk
A link is available at the bottom of every page on our school website also.



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Curriculum News

Nursery We can't believe that it is our final day in Nursery, we have had a very busy and exciting Year with lots of fun learning and giggles along the way. It has been lovely to see the children blossom and grow in all areas of their learning. The Sparkling Stars are all ready to take the next step on their learning Journey and we wish them all the best for Reception. The Giggle Tots have had a lovely Year making friends and facing lots of new challenges, we are excited to take them on their next steps as Sparkling Stars.

We Thank You. From Mrs Cooper, Mrs Caine, Miss Clarke, Miss Gregson and Mrs Jones

Reception What an amazing year in Reception! It has been a pleasure to watch all of the children blossom! From visiting St Anne's Church, visiting the library, taking part in a Chinese New Year dragon dance to our final celebration with our Teddy Bear's Picnic, what an amazing year!

Year 1 In Year 1 we have been enjoying our final week together. We have also welcomed a special new arrival !

Year 2 This week in Year 2 we have had a fantastic final week! We have had an exciting time in P.E learning to climb ropes. In PSHE we wrote a lovely recipe for a good friend. It was a perfect way to end the school year!

Year 3 Year 3 have had a great end of the year, working hard right up to the end. On Tuesday we had our Tour de France day, where they brought in bikes and scooters and we had our own mini Tour de France. They have also produced persuasive leaflets regarding whether to ride a bike or go in a car.

Year 4 **See Spotlight**

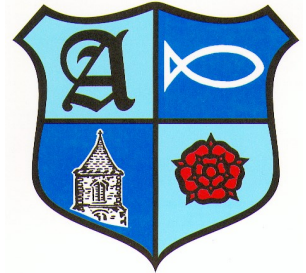
Year 5 We've made it to the end of the year. After many trials and tribulations and a monumental amount of learning, our Year 5 children are standing on the brink of their red jumpers/cardigans! They have been amazing - Mr Knowles and Mr Batchelor would like to say a huge thank you to the children for all their passion for learning and always wanting to be the best they can be. They would also like to say thank you to the wonderful parents, who have been such great partners with us to give their children the best start in life.

Year 6 This year we have been blessed with a hardworking, brave and fun group of children in Year 6. They have been a delight to teach and have risen to every challenge placed in front of them. We wish them very best on the next part of their educational journey - we know that they will be great high school students!





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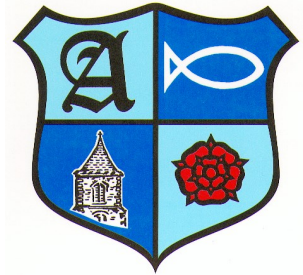
Our Award Winners!

<u>Star of the Week</u>	<u>Mission Statement</u>
Class 1	Class 13
Class 2	Class 14
Caleb O'L	Corie C
Nancy R	Class 4
Class 14	Class 3
Class 13	Noah SI
Jude C	Class 6
Jeron J	Class 5
Class 3	Ellie K
Class 4	Dillon F
Max S	Class 2
Bella G	Class 1
Class 5	Jasmine W
Class 6	Max W

Attendance for Week Ending 12/07/2024					
	Class	No Pupils	% Attendance	Sessions Missed	Rank
Class 5 are the winners of the Attendance Award for this week in Key Stage 1	Class 1	21	90.00%	21	4
	Class 2	23	81.70%	42	6
	Class 3	25	98.00%	5	2
	Class 4	24	89.60%	25	5
	Class 5	25	98.80%	3	1
	Class 6	24	94.60%	13	3
Class 13 are the winners of the Attendance Award for this week in Key Stage 2	Class 7	24	93.90%	14	6
	Class 8	22	94.20%	14	4
	Class 9	32	94.10%	19	5
	Class 10	32	89.40%	34	7
	Class 11	25	97.20%	7	3
	Class 12	24	87.10%	31	8
	Class 13	31	99.00%	3	1
	Class 14	30	98.40%	5	2



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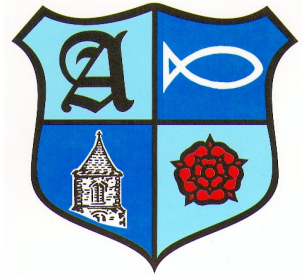


Ormskirk Library will be holding Space, Aliens and Planet themed sessions during the summer holidays. The sessions will be every Thursday from 25th July to 29th August. Drop in from 10-11.30am.





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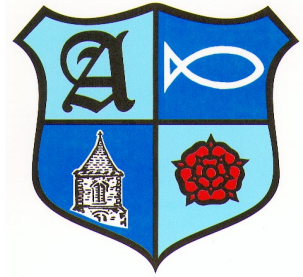
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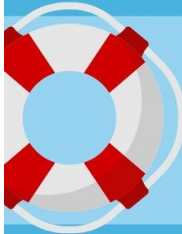
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Stay safe in the water this summer!



Stop and think

Always swim in a safe place

Where possible, swim at a lifeguarded beach, organised session or supervised venue.

At a pool, check the depths, these can change significantly from one part of the pool to another.

Is the water clear and the area well-kept and free from tripping hazards?

Stay together

Always swim with an adult

The first thing to teach your child is **never** to enter the water without your express permission

Younger children should always swim with an adult and adults must always supervise children in the water at all times.

Most drownings take place when adults are present.



Float

Teach your child that if they fall into water unexpectedly they should float on their back by looking up at the sky and staying still.

Then either call for help or swim to safety.



Drowning is silent and takes just 40-60 seconds

Call 999

Don't enter the water to help

If you see someone in trouble, tell somebody or call 999. Ask for the Fire Service at inland water sites and the Coastguard at the beach.

Throw something that floats (eg a ball) for the person to hold on to.



Choose the right equipment



Choose bright swimwear for your child to help visibility: **neon orange or green are best**. Avoid black, blue and pastel-coloured swimwear. Swim t-shirts will help to keep your child visible and some have UPF protection to help guard against sunburn.

Buoyancy aids can help children to gain independence in the water but they never replace constant adult supervision.

Children should never be allowed to go on inflatables such as donuts or unicorns in open water due to strong currents.

Life jackets for the likes of paddle boarding and canoeing are essential, even for strong swimmers. A whistle and mobile phone in a water proof pouch also help.

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Family Summer Offer August 2024

1st + 15th August **Twinkle and Rest Sleep Support**
Come along to one of our sleep drop-in support sessions, for both children and adults. Delivered by our Twinkle House Sleep Practitioners, you will leave with hints, tips and resources on how to improve sleep.

10-12pm

6th + 20th August **Twinkle Crafts**
Unleash your creative side with our craft drop-in summer session. Two hours of sticking, cutting, painting and lots more. You will have some super work to display at home.

10-12pm

7th, 14th + 21st August **Grow with Twinkle**
Calling all those who have green fingers! Come along to our drop in gardening sessions. We have stones to decorate, bulbs to plant and planters to design. Don't worry about the weather we will have cover if the rain arrives.

11-1pm

13th + 27th August **Sensory Stars**
Engage all your senses through a variety of play activities that will stimulate sight, touch, smell, hearing and taste. Leave with practical ideas for sensory play at home.

10-12pm

13 + 27th August **Relax Stars**
Take some time for yourself this summer. Mandy from the Calm Centre will guide you through relaxation techniques. Our studio will be transformed into a tranquil space with soft lighting, candles and music.

1-3pm

Children must be supervised at all times.

For more information on any of our FREE drop in sessions please call: 01695 455 625 or email: services@twinklehouse.co.uk

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